

## Editorial Comment

R. S. Sheridan, publisher of the Boise Capital-News; C. O. Broxon, managing editor, and A. R. Cruzen, a stockholder; convicted for contempt of the Idaho supreme court, for criticizing the court's decision barring progressive candidates for presidential electors from the Idaho ballot, occupy a cell in the county jail at Boise, where they will serve a ten-day sentence. Each was sentenced to pay a fine of \$500.

Hon. Everette Jennings, formerly an attorney at Madisonville, but now of Chicago, has been appointed assistant district attorney for Cook county by Maclay Hoye, district attorney. The position pays \$5,000 annual salary and expenses.

Kentucky has 145 officers and 1,580 enlisted men in the organized militia, according to the report of Brig. Gen. Albert L. Mills, chief of militia affairs, made public.

That she corresponded with more than 500 bachelors and obtained from \$15 to \$50 from each was the confession made by Florence Gamble at Des Moines, Ia.

It is rumored that Judge J. Flem Gordon, of Madisonville, expects to become a candidate for congress in the event A. O. Stanley wins the senatorial race.

The new Capitol of Utah, costing \$1,040,000, was nearly all paid for with the inheritance tax paid by the estate of the late E. H. Harriman.

The women are trying to get a place in the Wilson Cabinet. There doesn't happen to be a Secretary of the Culinary Department.

Garment workers to the number of 90,000 and cooks and waiters in the unions of New York all start in the New Year with strikes.

The Chicago budget for 1913 was adopted and calls for \$65,000,000 and the reduction of salaries of practically every city employe.

Gov. Edwin L. Norris, of Montana, whose term expires January 14, is being strongly urged for Secretary of the Interior.

A Nashville woman claims the honor of discovering a sure cure for hog cholera, something the government has long sought.

Watch the label on your paper and if your subscription is out don't let the paper stop. Come in before the premiums are all gone.

There were 1742 arrests in Owensboro last year, a falling off from the year before. The fines assessed were \$12,322.50.

Two Hungarian counts fought with sabers Thursday and one of them was wounded in the 32nd round.

Dr. N. G. Mothershead, of Earlington, died suddenly December 30, aged 70 years.

The Senate is trying to worry along somehow since Senator Bailey sang his swan song.

Castro, the unwelcome visitor returned to Europe this morning.

## Died In Memphis.

Mrs. Rowena Gray died in Memphis last Wednesday morning, aged 72 years. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. L. L. Elgin and Mrs. Harry Yost, of this city, and two sons. She was a woman of a lovely Christian character and for many years was a devoted member of the Methodist church. She came here from Memphis four years ago but went to Memphis a few days before her death, hoping that her old family physician would be able to handle the disease which caused her death, said to be chills of the most violent form. Her children were with her in her last hours, as were Mr. Elgin and Mr. Yost.

Judge W. B. Reeves has moved here from Elkton and will practice his profession.

## R. B. MORGAN IS DEAD.

Negro Man Shot Dec. 26 Succumbs To His Wound.

## ACCUSES MORRIS BOY.

The Young Son of The Man He Killed Four Years Ago.

R. B. Morgan, the negro who was shot on Sixth street between Main and Virginia, Thursday, December 26th, died from his wound last Thursday afternoon.

Being convinced that death was imminent he concluded to make a statement as to who fired the fatal shot and Chief of Police Roper, Sheriff Low Johnson and Deputy Sheriff Jewell Smith went to the house where he had been since the shooting. The officers heard his first statement and had the court stenographer, John King, sent for. Mr. King complied with the summons at once. In the presence of the four officers named, the dying man made his statement and made oath to it, which was in substance as follows:

"I am in my right mind and realize that I am in a dying condition and know who shot me. It was the biggest boy of Jim Morris, with black curly hair, who worked in a meat shop on Virginia street. I was coming from Frank Hosendove's pool room on Sixth street, Morris was coming from toward Main street. I met him near Cobb's saloon, on Sixth street. Morris just pulled his revolver and shot me without saying a word."

From the day he was shot to that of his death Morgan persistently refused to divulge the name of the one who shot him. Why he did this has not been known, and consequently no warrant of arrest was issued.

Over four years ago Morgan shot and killed Jim Morris, a son of Jack Morris, who lives north of town. The shooting took place in a box car in the yards of the Illinois Central railroad. Morgan was tried and sentenced to the Eddyville penitentiary for a term of three years. After his release from prison he is said to have been arrested at Leitchfield, Ky., for robbery and was out on a \$750 bond when he came back to his old home and met his death. He was a son of Peter Morgan, one of the best colored men in the city and who was a valued employe of the Western Kentucky Hospital for many years. He moved into the city some years ago and was long janitor at the Virginia Street public school building.

The Coroner, Dr. J. H. Rice, held an inquest yesterday morning and the jury rendered a verdict to the effect that Morgan's death resulted from blood poisoning due to the improper treatment of his wound in the early stages, as the wound itself was a slight flesh wound that did not penetrate the cavity.

Wallace Morris, apparently about 18 years old, appeared before Judge Knight at 3:30 o'clock and put himself in the custody of the court, on a charge of voluntary manslaughter and gave a \$1,000 bond to await grand jury action.

## SENT OUT ROAST OF MEAT

Henderson Butcher Delivers Dinner By Parcels Post.

Henderson, Ky., Jan. 1.—The first package to leave Henderson by parcels post consisted of meat. The shipment was made by Quin Bros. and was a roast of meat for a customer at St. Vincent. The butchers expect to work up a big meat trade out among the farmers.

## TOBACCO MEN ELECT

R. E. Cooper President of the Board of Trade Wednesday.

## ABERNATHY AGAIN INSPECTOR

Donation of Fifty Dollars Made To West Kentucky Orphans Home.

The tobacco Board of Trade held its annual meeting Wednesday and elected the following officers for 1913:

R. E. Cooper, President.  
F. W. Dabney, Vice President.  
Gordon Nelson, Sec. and Tres.

By a unanimous vote H. H. Abernathy was re-elected inspector.

The committee on arbitration is composed of W. M. Hancock and P. E. West.

The Committee of Appeal—F. W. Dabney, ex-officio Chairman, Douglas Hancock, Walter A. Wilson, Thos. B. Fairleigh and M. H. Tandy. The Board made an appropriation of \$50 to help the West Kentucky Orphans' Home.

## DEFIANT PROCLAMATION ISSUED BY REBEL LEADERS

Mexican Insurrectos Say They Will Respect Foreigners Not Aiding Federals.

El Paso, Tex., Jan. 1.—"We will respect all foreigners respecting us; none others," says a proclamation signed by Gen. Inez Salazar and eighteen rebel Generals, copies of which were to-day distributed along the border. It also is declared that the rebels will continue their policy of destroying bridges, station houses and rolling stock of railroads, "aiding our enemies by hauling Federal troops."

The Mexico Northwestern railway, frequently torn up by rebels below Juarez, will resume traffic within a few days if no further destruction occurs. Although under American management, this railway, which has lost heavily during the two years of revolutions, is a property capitalized largely in England and is a Canadian corporation. The Mexican Central railway, a part of the National railways, remains open below the border, and so far the shop strikers have not affected train schedules on it.

## VIOLENT EARTHQUAKE IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Town of Union Is Shaken and Wall of Jail Split.

Union, S. C., Jan. 1.—A violent earthquake was felt here at 1:28 this afternoon. Chimneys were toppled over throughout the city and a large rent was made in the walls of the county jail. The structure is built of stone and was erected in 1823. The shock lasted about twenty seconds.

## COMMUNION

At The First Presbyterian Church Tomorrow.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the First Presbyterian church tomorrow morning.

This afternoon at 3 o'clock there will be a congregational meeting to elect a board of three Trustees of the church for the ensuing year.

Forgive your enemies; if you have no enemies forgive some of your friends.

## ACME MILLS NEW NAME

New Corporation Takes Over Big Plant, For So Long Idle.

## THE WHEELS TO TURN SOON.

Prominent Business Men of Clarksville Incorporators and Owners.

The reorganization of the Acme Mills & Elevator Co. has been made by its new owners. The corporation will shorten the name to the Acme Mills Co.

The incorporators are all Clarksville business men, viz: W. B. Anderson, Joe P. Dunlop, Norman Smith, W. A. Chambers, W. B. Anderson, Jr., and J. M. Neblett. The capital stock is placed at \$150,000, divided into 1,500 shares of \$100 each. Of this \$50,000 is preferred stock and \$100,000 is common. The preferred stock is to bear a semi-annual dividend of 3 1/2 per cent and in case of dissolution of the corporation it is to be retired at par before the common stock is considered. Both the preferred and common stock have the same voting power when it comes to the management of the concern. The right is reserved to retire the preferred stock at any interest-bearing period after five years at which the directors of the mill may desire.

The corporation is to begin business when \$75,000 worth of stock is subscribed and is to continue for a period of fifty years. Its affairs are to be in the hands of a board of from three to seven directors, to be elected annually on the second Tuesday in June by the stockholders. But in order to select directors until the first annual election date in this year an election will be held at the office here next Tuesday. These directors will select the president, manager, secretary, treasurer and other officers.

At no time is the indebtedness to exceed \$300,000.

Messrs. J. M. Neblett and W. B. Anderson, Jr., arrived in the city a few days ago. These gentlemen will have full charge of the plant and the general management of the business. Mr. Neblett said Thursday that so far as he can see they will be able to start the mill by the 15th of this month.

Mr. Neblett will move his family here from Clarksville after about June 1st. Mr. Anderson has no family.

J. J. Moore, who has been with Mr. Dunlop in Clarksville for some time, will return to the city to have charge of the engines.

## INGERSOLL'S DAUGHTER WEDS WITH 17 WORDS

Ethical Culture Society Declaration Makes Her Wife.

New York, Jan. 1.—"With this ring I thee wed in love and truth for life till death do us part."

This simple declaration of seventeen words spoken by an Ethical Culture society minister united in marriage Miss Maude R. Ingersoll, the only remaining unmarried daughter of Colonel Robert Ingersoll, and Wallace McLean Probasco of Cincinnati and New York.

Miss Ingersoll, like her father, is an agnostic. Mr. Probasco's parents were prominent Episcopalians, and he was christened in that faith, but it is understood that for several years he has been a follower of the teachings of Ingersoll.

## I. C.'s Chance.

Receivers for the Tennessee Central executed \$50,000 bonds and it was announced the line will be sold.

## REVIVAL TO BEGIN

Tomorrow at The First Baptist Church For Three Weeks.

## DR. PORTER WILL PREACH.

Special Song Services By Mr. Scholfield, Who Has Been Here Before.

Rev. J. W. Porter, D. D., of Lexington, Ky., will arrive to conduct a series of meetings at the First Baptist church Monday night. He comes heralded as one of the greatest pulpit orators in Kentucky, gifted with unusual eloquence and learning.

Rev. C. M. Thompson will begin the revival services Sunday morning and evening, as Dr. Porter cannot come until Monday. Mr. Scholfield, a singer of high standing, arrived Friday of this week and will conduct the song services from the start. He will begin the organization of the choir at a meeting to be held tonight at the church.

Services will be held every afternoon at three o'clock and every evening at seven and the meetings will continue two or three weeks.

## FOREMAN OF "DYNAMITE JURY" IS THREATENED

Gets Anonymous Letter, Giving Him Three Months To Live.

Newcastle, Ind., Jan. 1.—Frank Dare of New Lisbon, foreman of the jury in the federal court at Indianapolis that convicted the thirty-eight defendants in the dynamite conspiracy trial, today received an anonymous communication threatening his life. The letter was not signed and was mailed from Chicago.

## GIVE GRANDDAUGHTER OF 12 YEARS IN MARRIAGE

Richmond Couple Swear She Is of Legal Age.

Richmond, Ind., Jan. 3.—On a warrant charging that he induced his grandchild, Georgianna Doyle, only 12 years old, to marry Benjamin Hensley, 25, Joseph Allen was arrested, Hensley was also arrested and charged with contributing to the child's delinquency.

The license to marry was procured last Thursday, after Allen and his wife had sworn the girl was old enough to marry and had given their consent.

The girl's mother is dead, and the father, William S. Doyle, had given the child to the grandparents to rear. He did not know of the marriage at the time and on learning of it, at once instituted proceedings.

## CUT RATES

In Fire Insurance Does Not Help Hopkinsville.

Shelbyville and Shelby county fire insurance has been cut deeply under the recent law. In this county the rate has also been materially lowered but there is no relief thus far for property owners in the city. Why the rates should be so high here is a question that none but the underwriters can answer. We venture the assertion that there is not a city in this State better protected from devastation by fire than we are. We have a system of water pressure that cannot be surpassed, so perfect that a fire engine is of no use in the world.

## TORE IT OUT IN CHICAGO.

Vice Crusaders to Tell What They Saw On New Year's Eve.

## AND THEY SAW A-PLENTY.

Plans Formed to Prosecute Cafes That Keep Open After Legal Hours.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—A large number of reports of so-called New Year's eve orgies were ready for presentation to a meeting of leaders of reform organizations here Thursday. Some of the reports are illustrated by flashlight photographs.

One of the distinct novelties of this season was put on by a pretty girl, faultlessly dressed, on a crowded south-bound Cottage Grove avenue car. Her escort assisted her in getting her feet into the straps and she hung, head downward, affording a liberal display of dainty lingerie.

The applause was so terrific that she repeated the performance three times and enthusiastic spectators passed the hat and got a stocking full of money for her. On this car were at least twenty women, apparently of the respectable well-to-do class, but they applauded the girl's act as enthusiastically as did the men.

In the hotels and cafes the customary stunts of dancing on the tables, kicking at the chandeliers, kissing everybody, indiscriminately, dancing the bear cat, bunny hug, tango and other fancy steps with many hectic embellishments, were pulled off.

The uproarious doings did not commence until after midnight when everybody was either too drunk to interfere, or just drunk enough to go the limit.

In some scenes men and women are described as staggering into hotel lobbies intoxicated, while much public love-making was incident to the revelry.

With the administration friendly toward the big debauch, affairs went the limit. Some of the cafes, however, where the wildest scenes were enacted, took the precaution to bar out reporters or anybody else who might testify to what happened.

## ORPHANS' HOME

Directors Will Hold a Meeting Sunday.

The Board of Directors of the West Ky. Orphans' Home Association will hold a meeting Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the Home, West Seventh street.

The Board of Directors is composed of 17, all of them residing in towns in this section of the state. They have all been notified to the meeting to be held.

The Executive Committee is composed of the following ladies and gentlemen:

G. H. Champlin, Chairman.  
Mrs. M. H. Tandy, Mrs. W. D. Cooper, Odie Davis, H. L. Harton.

The people generally who are in sympathy with the noble work being done by the Association are invited to be present.

Mr. Green H. Champlin and the President, W. D. Humphrey, are the founders of the Association.

## New Proposals.

Proposals ceding practically all of European Turkey, excepting Adrianople, the Holy City of the Mohammedans, and several islands in the Aegean Sea, were presented by Turkey to the Balkan Allies at the London Peace Conference, following threats by the Bulgarians to renew the